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Re: Section 1.114 Request for Continued Examination
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FRAGRANCE COMPOSITIONS FOR THE CO₂ WASHING PROCESS
Our Ref: 3968.037
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Dear Sir:

This is a request for continued examination (RCE) of pending Application No. **09/915,716** filed on July 26, 2001, entitled, "**FRAGRANCE COMPOSITIONS FOR THE CO₂ WASHING PROCESS**"

This application is being filed under 37 CFR 1.114.

The application is assigned to Examiner Gregory Delcotto in Group Art Unit **1751**.

Entry of Amendment C filed October 03, 2005 and **Amendment D** filed herewith are respectfully requested.

An executed Declaration of Inventorship was filed in the parent application.

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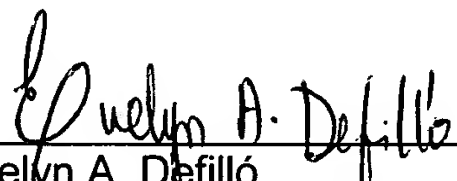
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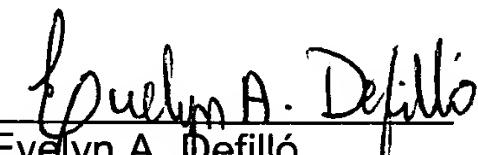
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I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing Request for Continued Examination for U.S. Patent Application No. 09/915,716 filed July 26, 2001, entitled, " **FRAGRANCE COMPOSITIONS FOR THE CO₂ WASHING PROCESS**" and a stamped receipt postcard were deposited in first class U.S. mail, with sufficient postage to: Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, **on December 2, 2005.**

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